

## BICYCLISTS ATTENTION

Is called to the marked down prices in Bicycle Hose at our closing out sale of Men's Furnishings, comprising all colors in Cotton and Wool, from 50 cents per pair up.

Flannel Shirts, Lace and Button Front, in White, Grays, Browns, and Navy, at and below cost.

Rowing Jerseys at one-half of their prime cost.

Black Silk Ties at one-half selling price.

## R. H. TAYLOR,

933 Penn. Ave.  
READY FOR INSPECTION.

## SEATON PERRY,

(Successor to Perry & Co.)

Now Open and Ready for Inspection a Very Large and Complete Assortment of "NEW EUROPEAN" WASH FABRICS, INCLUDING ALL THE LATEST NOVELTIES IN WHITE GOODS.

NOVELTIES IN EMBROIDERED SWISS CLOTHS.

THE LATEST IMPORTATIONS IN EMBROIDERED BATISTE, GINGHAM, AND HAND-PRINTED SATIN RIBBONS.

NOVELTIES IN ANDERSON'S SCOTCH CLOTHS.

"CONFIDENT" STYLES IN FINEST FRENCH EMBROIDERED SATIN.

NEW PRINTED ALL-LINEN LAWS.

NEW "NEW STYLES" IN GINGHAMS, CLOTHS, AND CHECKS, AT 10c.

NEW FRENCH AND ENGLISH NAINSOOKS.

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## THE SMALL THINGS OF A DAY.

Minor Occurrences in and About the City.

Albert Beckett, colored, was arrested Saturday morning by Officer King, who charged him with writing poetry.

A large party of excursionists from New England are in the city. They will spend most of the time in seeing of the capital.

The new trade cards and lists of the Rochdale Cooperative Society are now ready, as will be seen by announcement in another column.

Two horse herds, driven by John Hancock and a Metropolitan railroad car, driven by John Haggis, collided Saturday afternoon at Fifteenth and H Street northwest.

The herds were damaged to the amount of \$25.

Buy your Kitt Suits of Eiseeman's, 7th & E.

Lodge Meetings To-Night.

The following lodges will meet to-night at the places named:

Knights of Pythias—Calantho, No. 11, Pennsylvania Avenue and Ninth street northwest; Royal, No. 17, 311 Eighth street northwest.

Knights of Honor—Potomac, 183, I. O. O. F. Hall, 300 Seventh street.

K. of M.—Potomac, No. 9, 609 C Street northwest.

K. of G.—Northwestern, No. 2, 311 Ninth street northwest.

Sons of Jonathan—Invisible, No. 7, Academy building, 10th & E.

O. G. T.—Friendship, No. 11, Wilmet Hall, Eighth and I streets northwest.

Knights of St. Andrew—Anchor, No. 1, E. S. Hall, 300 Pennsylvania Avenue.

For family use no beer is better than the "Pump" from the Anheuser-Busch Brewing Association. Try it and be convinced. Office corner First and Virginia Avenue southwest. Phone 393. Frank Schwarz, manager.

Charged With Stealing Clothing.

"Saddle Coats" was the name of the article stolen from the store of the late John Haggis, who was charged with the theft. He was arrested by Officer King and taken to the police station.

Our ready-made clothing in appearance, fit, and durability, equal any custom work in the country. Call on Eiseeman's, 7th & E.

National Bar Association.

The District Bar Association held a meeting at their rooms yesterday afternoon to make arrangements for the entertainment of the National Bar Association at their annual meeting in this city beginning May 22. The executive committee made a report recommending that the president of the association be authorized to appoint ten members as delegates to the meeting, and a committee of arrangements composed of fifteen members.

On the 22nd of the first class and appointed a committee of arrangement of fifteen members, ten of whom shall be delegates, and it was adjourned.

For refrigerators, baby carriages, window shades, and house-furnishing goods of all kinds, call on Eiseeman's, 7th & E.

Celebrating the Twelve-Hour Rule.

The Washington and Georgetown Railroad Company's conductors and drivers will celebrate the second anniversary of the twelve-hour rule to-morrow in rather a unique way. They have secured a large open car, which is being decorated in the most elaborate manner, and will parade over the various routes of the company, a detachment of the United States Marine Corps, the renowned humorist, and a ventriloquist from across the water. Matinees will be given at the Grand Army Hall.

The following robberies have been reported at police headquarters: Bessie Durand, 122 Maryland Avenue southwest, stolen from her room \$25 and a South-west dress, valued at \$12.50; Bessie Durand, 122 Maryland Avenue, stolen two pairs of shoes and two pairs of trousers; Louisa Lewis, 122 Maryland Avenue, stolen a pair of shoes and a pair of trousers; Louisa Lewis, 122 Maryland Avenue, stolen a pair of shoes and a pair of trousers.

The Musical Director Resigns.

The rector of the Church of the Ascension has instructed the musical director, Mr. J. S. Holmes, to hereafter sing the simplest style of Te Deum and a choral jubilate or Benedictus at each morning service. As this class of music can be of no interest to the choir, Mr. Holmes has tendered his resignation, to take effect on the 1st of June.

Iravonold Hox.

The subscription books of the above company are now open at the office of Garley & Co., 219 F Street northwest.

By the charter of the company the capital stock of \$50,000 is divided into 5,000 shares, at \$10 per share.

Subscriptions will be received for five or more shares, payable \$2 per share at the time of the subscription and \$3 per share thereafter until paid.

Charged With Perjury.

Sarah DeNeal, a colored servant, was arrested Saturday night by Detective Grier on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. M. L. Lawson, charging Sarah with perjury. The arrest was due to false statements alleged to have been made in a case tried before Chancellor Hays.

For the best and cheapest floor matting go to Gately & Aldrich, 27 Seventh street northwest.

Arrests Made in Twenty-Four Hours.

In the twenty-four hours ending at 8 o'clock yesterday morning the police made twenty-six arrests, the majority of which were due to whiskey. The reports showed that no fights or cutting affairs had occurred, and the police are rather proud of this fact.

A Charcoal Iron Furnace and Malleable Iron Works for Tallapoosa, Ga.

The charcoal iron industry of the north, which has been the subject of much discussion, is now being introduced into the south. The Tallapoosa Iron Works, which are now being introduced into the south, are now being introduced into the south.

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## A CHINESE CHRISTIAN.

He Visits Congress and is Received at the White House.

Rev. Dr. Siles, for twenty-seven years a missionary to China, now on his way to attend the general conference of the M. E. Church which assembles in New York next Tuesday, is in the city at the house of his brother-in-law, Capt. A. P. Lacey, 604 F Street northwest.

He is accompanied by Rev. Siles, an ordained minister of the M. E. Church, and for fourteen years a resident of the city.

He is also a delegate to that conference. He is the first native Chinese clergyman who has ever been a delegate to a religious assembly in this country, and, it is said, the first who has ever visited this country in any capacity.

He is a learned man and his face is expressive of intelligence and thoughtfulness. He taught Dr. Siles the Chinese language and was converted to Christianity while on doing.

They visited the home of representatives on Friday last and were entertained by Mr. Springer, who escorted them to the Speaker's gallery, and by whom they were presented to the President.

Mr. Siles, in an earnest and sincere manner, expressed his pleasure at everything he had seen of the city and the people, and of his extreme delight in being presented to the President of this great country, whose religious and civil principles and institutions, he hoped, might eventually permeate all peoples and dominate the globe.

The President was deeply moved and responded in a feeling and touching manner.

Correcting an Error.

The Second Precinct Officers Erroneously Charged With Dereliction of Duty.

When the reporter who was engaged in gathering police news in the northern part of the city wrote his item on the gamblers near the old "mill race" a week ago, some evil spirit caused him to attribute the continuance of the evil to a laxity on the part of the officers of the "second precinct." This was an error, because that spot where gamblers delight to assemble is within the bounds of Lieut. Kelly's realm.

It probably tickled the officers of the sixth to have the blame placed where it did not belong, but they are now at liberty to cease smiling at each other. Yesterday afternoon the scenes that have disgraced the neighborhood on previous Sabbaths were being repeated by a large crowd of rowdies when officers of the sixth precinct, and the mistake was the same, and they ran off, thus doing the duty which they are now at liberty to cease smiling at each other.

Between the reporter and the men of the second, who are now at liberty to cease smiling at each other, and the men of the second, who are now at liberty to cease smiling at each other.

If you are looking for the best made clothing in Washington wear your way to Eiseeman's, 7th & E.

Kernan's Theater.

Weston Brothers' consolidated comedy and specialty show will be seen at Kernan's this week and they are said to comprise some of the best talent now on the vaudeville stage.

Among the artists who will assist in making the entertainment effective are Harry Jones in original songs, dances and imitations; Leonzo, the human juggler; and Alvin Wilson, the renowned humorist, singer and ventriloquist from across the water. Matinees will be given at the Grand Army Hall.

Tus Delightful Liquid Laxative, Syrup of Figs, is a most agreeable and valuable family medicine, and is easily taken by children.

It is prompt and effective in curing Habitual Constipation and the many ills depending on the bowels, and is a most valuable remedy for Liver and Bowels. It acts gently, strengthens the organs, and it is a most valuable remedy for a healthy activity. For sale by all leading druggists.

Grand White Goods Bargains.

Monday, April 30.

Better bargains in White Goods have not been offered this season.

1 Case 24-inch White Swiss Moll "Crinkle" Cloth, worth 15c.

ONLY 10c PER YARD.

1 Miscellaneous Lot of White and Eern Lawns, in plain, stripes, and plaids. Great variety; choice goods, and remarkably cheap.

ONLY 12c PER YARD.

100 Pieces 24-inch Swiss Lawns, pure bleached, superior finish, sheer quality, and beautiful quality offered.

ONLY 25c PER YARD.

50 Pieces White Cotton D. excellent quality, and beautiful quality offered.

enabled to sell at 50c. By offering it at the exceedingly low price of 25c.

50c PER YARD.

(Second Floor)

WOODWARD & LOTHROP,

Cor. 11th & F Sts. N. W.

IRRESISTIBLE SILK BARGAINS

for

MONDAY, APRIL 30.

10 Pieces Black French Gros Grain Silk, wearing qualities, and beautiful quality offered.

ONLY 50c PER YARD.

24-inch Black China Silk, particularly desirable, and for a light, cool summer dress it has no superior.

ONLY 55c PER YARD.

24-inch White Shanghai Silk; a beautiful soft quality.

ONLY 75c PER YARD.

27-inch White Shanghai Silk.

ONLY 81c PER YARD.

These silks are entirely new from dressing, and will wear for clean without any staining, whatever the weather or dress, and for summer dresses. The prices place them within easy reach.

44-inch Black All Silk Surah.

ONLY 81c PER YARD.

We are most pleased with this fabric, and consider it an unequalled quality for the price.

Superb line of Fancy Plaided China Silks in light and dark colors, and beautiful quality offered.

75c, 81c, 85c, and 91c. The 75c and 81c are the most desirable, and the 85c and 91c are the most beautiful.

Our signal is the arrival of a beautiful line of Night Shirts from Paris, as well as more imported White Shirts, which we sold out so soon last season. We have also a new and beautiful combination silk suits can be selected from these for seashore and mountain wear.

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## THE DISTRICT TAXES.

Rate is Low.

For some time past there has existed a belief that the taxes in the District were larger here than they should be, and in fact were, by a large per cent, in excess of those levied in other cities of like size and population. The bookkeeper of the District buildings looked upon the question of taxes from 1880 to 1873 (for Washington alone) and found the levies to have been as follows: 1880, 50 cents; 1881, 50 cents; 1882, 50 cents; 1883, 50 cents; 1884, 50 cents; 1885, 50 cents; 1886, 50 cents; 1887, 50 cents; 1888, 50 cents; 1889, 50 cents; 1890, 50 cents; 1891, 50 cents; 1892, 50 cents; 1893, 50 cents; 1894, 50 cents; 1895, 50 cents; 1896, 50 cents; 1897, 50 cents; 1898, 50 cents; 1899, 50 cents; 1900, 50 cents; 1901, 50 cents; 1902, 50 cents; 1903, 50 cents; 1904, 50 cents; 1905, 50 cents; 1906, 50 cents; 1907, 50 cents; 1908, 50 cents; 1909, 50 cents; 1910, 50 cents; 1911, 50 cents; 1912, 50 cents; 1913, 50 cents; 1914, 50 cents; 1915, 50 cents; 1916, 50 cents; 1917, 50 cents; 1918, 50 cents; 1919, 50 cents; 1920, 50 cents; 1921, 50 cents; 1922, 50 cents; 1923, 50 cents; 1924, 50 cents; 1925, 50 cents; 1926, 50 cents; 1927, 50 cents; 1928, 50 cents; 1929, 50 cents; 1930, 50 cents; 1931, 50 cents; 1932, 50 cents; 1933, 50 cents; 1934, 50 cents; 1935, 50 cents; 1936, 50 cents; 1937, 50 cents; 1938, 50 cents; 1939, 50 cents; 1940, 50 cents; 1941, 50 cents; 1942, 50 cents; 1943, 50 cents; 1944, 50 cents; 1945, 50 cents; 1946, 50 cents; 1947, 50 cents; 1948, 50 cents; 1949, 50 cents; 1950, 50 cents; 1951, 50 cents; 1952, 50 cents; 1953, 50 cents; 1954, 50 cents; 1955, 50 cents; 1956, 50 cents; 1957, 50 cents; 1958, 50 cents; 1959, 50 cents; 1960, 50 cents; 1961, 50 cents; 1962, 50 cents; 1963, 50 cents; 1964, 50 cents; 1965, 50 cents; 1966, 50 cents; 1967, 50 cents; 1968, 50 cents; 1969, 50 cents; 1970, 50 cents; 1971, 50 cents; 1972, 50 cents; 1973, 50 cents; 1974, 50 cents; 1975, 50 cents; 1976, 50 cents; 1977, 50 cents; 1978, 50 cents; 1979, 50 cents; 1980, 50 cents; 1981, 50 cents; 1982, 50 cents; 1983, 50 cents; 1984, 50 cents; 1985, 50 cents; 1986, 50 cents; 1987, 50 cents; 1988, 50 cents; 1989, 50 cents; 1990, 50 cents; 1991, 50 cents; 1992, 50 cents; 1993, 50 cents; 1994, 50 cents; 1995, 50 cents; 1996, 50 cents; 1997, 50 cents; 1998, 50 cents; 1999, 50 cents; 2000, 50 cents; 2001, 50 cents; 2002, 50 cents; 2003, 50 cents; 2004, 50 cents; 2005, 50 cents; 2006, 50 cents; 2007, 50 cents; 2008, 50 cents; 2009, 50 cents; 2010, 50 cents; 2011, 50 cents; 2012, 50 cents; 2013, 50 cents; 2014, 50 cents; 2015, 50 cents; 2016, 50 cents; 2017, 50 cents; 2018, 50 cents; 2019, 50 cents; 2020, 50 cents; 2021, 50 cents; 2022, 50 cents; 2023, 50 cents; 2024, 50 cents; 2025, 50 cents; 2026, 50 cents; 2027, 50 cents; 2028, 50 cents; 2029, 50 cents; 2030, 50 cents; 2031, 50 cents; 2032, 50 cents; 2033, 50 cents; 2034, 50 cents; 2035, 50 cents; 2036, 50 cents; 2037, 50 cents; 2038, 50 cents; 2039, 50 cents; 2040, 50 cents; 2041, 50 cents; 2042, 50 cents; 2043, 50 cents; 2044, 50 cents; 2045, 50 cents; 2046, 50 cents; 2047, 50 cents; 2048, 50 cents; 2049, 50 cents; 2050, 50 cents; 2051, 50 cents; 2052, 50 cents; 2053, 50 cents; 2054, 50 cents; 2055,